Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

Substitute for form 1449/PTO		Complete if Known	
INFORMATION DIS	CL OCUPE	Application Number	10/608,354
INFORMATION DIS		Filing Date	6/27/2003
STATEMENT BY A	PPLICANT	First Named Inventor	Stanley Crooke
		Art Unit	1634
(Use as many sheets as	necessary)	Examiner Name	Frank Wei Min Lu
Sheet 1 of	2	Attorney Docket Number	MSIBIS-0002US.C2

		NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS	
Examiner Initials *	Cite No.1	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher (ty) and/or country where published.	T²
		EP Supplementary European Partial Search Report for EP 99911036.4 dated 03/18/2003 (MSIBIS-0002EP)	
		EP Supplementary European Search Report for EP 99911036.4 dated 06/16/2003 (MSIBIS-0002EP)	
		PCT International Search Report for PCT/US99/04560 dated 07/01/1999 (MSIBIS-0002WO)	
		US Final Rejection for US Application 09/260,310 dated 12/19/2000 (MSIBIS-0002US.P1)	
		US Final Rejection for US Application 10/608,354 dated 07/03/2007 (MSIBIS-0002US.C2)	
		US Notice of Allowance for US Application 09/076,206 dated 02/12/2002 (MSIBIS-0002US)	
		US Notice of Allowance for US Application 09/260,310 dated 06/21/2001 (MSIBIS-0002US.P1)	
		US Notice of Allowance for US Application 09/884,317 dated 04/07/2003 (MSIBIS-0002US.C1)	T
		US Office Action for US Application 09/076,206 dated 08/07/2001 (MSIBIS-0002US)	
		US Office Action for US Application 09/076,206 dated 10/24/2001 (MSIBIS-0002US)	
		US Office Action for US Application 09/260,310 dated 06/22/2000 (MSIBIS-0002US.P1)	
		US Office Action for US Application 09/884,317 dated 10/09/02 (MSIBIS-0002US.C1)	
		US Office Action for US Application 10/608,354 dated 11/17/2006 (MSIBIS-0002US.C2)	

Examiner	Date
Signature	Considered

<sup>\*</sup>EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609, Draw line through citation if not in conformance

and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

\*Applicants' unsigned called reduced to apply the form with next communication to applicant.

\*Applicants' unsigned called nedesignation number optionism,\*Applicants to place a check mark here if English Inaquagner Translation is natached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.98. The information is required to Odain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO) to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S. 1.22 and 37 CFR 1.43. This collection is estimated to take 120 minutes. to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Approved for use through 09/30/2007. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

	Substitute f	or form 1449/PTO			(	Complete if Known
	INITO	ON A TION	DIO.	CL CCLIDE	Application Number	10/608,354
				CLOSURE	Filing Date	6/27/2003
	SIAI	EMENIB	ΥAI	PPLICANT	First Named Inventor	Stanley Crooke
					Art Unit	1634
		(Use as many she	ets as	necessary)	Examiner Name	Frank Wei Min Lu
Ī	Sheet	2	of	2	Attorney Docket Number	MSIBIS-0002US.C2

	NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS				
Examiner Initials *	Cite No.1	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T 2		
		US Office Action for US Application 10/608,354 dated 04/03/2008 (MSIBIS-0002US.C2)			

Examiner	Date
Signature	Considered

<sup>\*</sup>EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance

and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

\*Applicants' unsigned called reducing the control of the to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.